

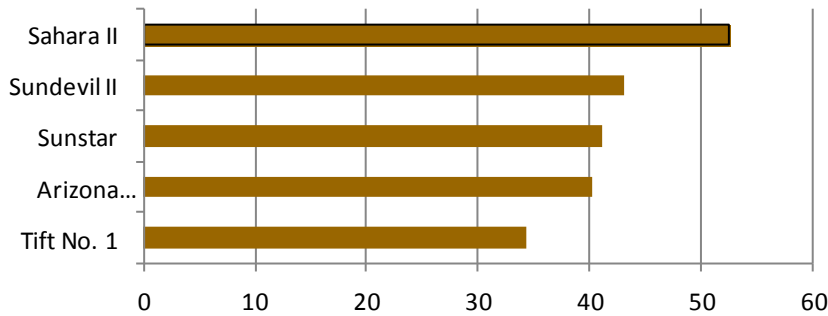


### Leaf Texture

<b>Sahara II</b>	<b>6.0</b>
Sundevil II	5.8
Lapaloma	5.6
Numex Sahara	5.4
B-14	5.3

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### Spring Green-Up



Percent Green Cover: 0-100; 100=Best 2003-2006 Data 3 Locations www.ntep.org

### Seedling Vigor

<b>Sahara II</b>	<b>5.7</b>
Contessa	4.5
Sunbird	3.9
SWI-1014	3.2

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### OPTIMAL ADAPTATION AREAS:



#### Seeding Rates:

- ◆ 0.75-2 lb/1000 sqft  
New Turf Applications

#### Establishment:

- Soil: Well drained to clay; pH of 5.5-8.  
Temperature: 65°F or greater (equals 80° F or more consistent day highs in temperature)
- Sowing Time: Summer
- Planting Depth: 1/16 inch
- Fertilizer: 0.5-0.9 lb Nitrogen/1000 sqft
- Germination: 10-14 Days
- Water: Keep moist until grass is 3 inches tall
- First Mowing: When grass is 3 inches tall

#### Maintenance:

- \* Height: 1.5-3 inches  
Fairway Height: 0.5 inches (increases management requirements)
- \* Fertilizer: 3-5 lb Nitrogen/1000 sqft a year. Apply during active growth (Summer)
- \* Mowing Frequency: 2 times/week during active growth and remove no more than 1/3 of the leaf per mowing

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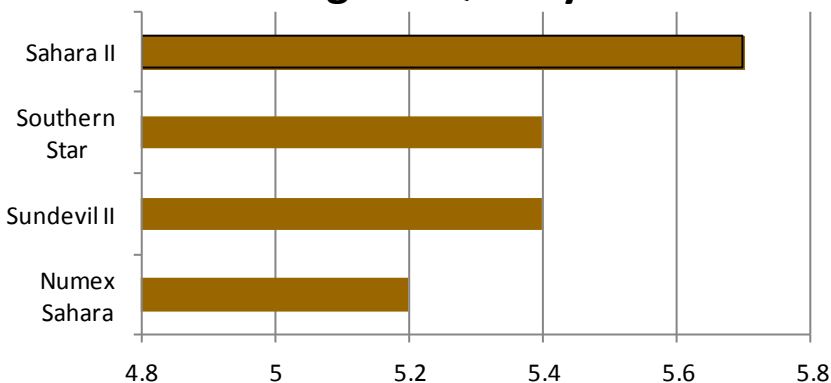


## Sahara II

*A better turfgrass cover with medium-fine texture and early spring green-up! Fewer mowing requirements with a reduced vertical growth rate! Sahara II establishes quickly compared to most other bermudagrass varieties*



### Turfgrass Quality



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## Bermudagrass

### Primary Benefits:

- ◆ Turfgrass Performance  
Top quality, medium leaf texture, good uniformity.
- ◆ Spring Green-Up
- ◆ Seedling Vigor

### Additional Benefits:

- Traffic Tolerant
- Resist Scalping
- Reduced Plant Height
- Low in Thatch

### Recommended Use:

- \* Golf Courses
- \* Parks, Playgrounds, Cemeteries & Athletic Fields
- \* Home Lawns
- \* Erosion Control

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